

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

NASHARA LANGSTON,

Plaintiff,

and

THERESA STROTHER,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v

WALTER BRODOCK, JR., and ZEELAND
FREIGHT SERVICES, INC. a/k/a ZEELAND
FARM SERVICES, INC.,

Defendants-Appellees.

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No. 220716
Ottawa Circuit Court
LC No. 97-027217-NI

Before: Jansen, P.J., and Doctoroff and O'Connell, JJ.

MEMORANDUM.

Plaintiff Strothers appeals by leave granted a July 13, 1999, Ottawa Circuit Court order granting summary disposition in favor of defendants in this third-party automobile negligence action. The trial court granted the motion on the ground that MCL 500.3135(2)(c); MSA 24.13135(2)(c) barred plaintiff Strothers' action because the vehicle she owned and operated at the time of the accident was uninsured. We affirm.

Plaintiff argues that MCL 500.3135(2)(c); MSA 24.13135(2)(c) violates the Equal Protection Clause of the Michigan Constitution. We disagree. This Court recently rejected plaintiff's arguments in *Stevenson v Reese*, 239 Mich App 513, 517-520; 609 NW2d 195 (2000). We follow *Stevenson* and affirm the trial court's order granting defendant's motion for summary disposition.

Affirmed.

/s/ Kathleen Jansen
/s/ Martin M. Doctoroff

/s/ Peter D. O'Connell